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Readers of THE DAILY INTELLIGENCER who desire to have that journal and into the country during the summer will find each day in the advertising columns a convenient blank which they can cut out and fill in with a subscription order.

SECRETARY HAYARD has been promising for some time to look into the fishery question, but that is all it has amounted to.

The First District Democratic Congressional Committee did not have a very smooth time of it at Clarkburg, yesterday.

It is becoming almost as dangerous to be a base ball umpire in Cincinnati as it is to be a Republican voter in Mississippi.

The Philadelphia Press to John L. Sullivan for his attempt to shoot the Niagara rapids in fighting costume is not a bad one.

The Intelligencer has a half of interesting Democratic literature showing the inside workings of the machine, that will make attractive reading for the dog days.

SEVENTH JONES, of Florida, had the courage to bear himself from his Detroit Island long enough to address a House of Representatives meeting at Toledo, Ohio, the other evening.

The Baltimore Democratic Convention did not want any platform. This is a painful time for them to devise resolutions that will cover the ground and suit the party.

Another Democratic "conference" will be in the wind. The Intelligencer will be there. It is hardly necessary to assure our Democratic friends that the INTELLIGENCER is an organ.

The crank Granger shoots Niagara rapids in a barrel. Payne jumps from Columbus to Washington in a barrel. Cammen—well, the barrel game is rapidly becoming a national pastime.

SEVENTH JONES thinks that those "d—n literary fellows" over in Ohio who edit Republican papers are a quarrelsome and discordant set. Like Wagner's music, they strike the senatorial tympanum too hard for solemn thoughts and gentle musings.

The Belmont Democrats did about as well as they could yesterday. They have a ticket to defeat which the Republicans will have to work with the proper effort it can be defeated. We feel confident that nearly all the Republican nominees will be elected.

The Register assumes that the so-called Columbus "conference" has been recalled. Perhaps the Register hasn't as good opportunities for judging correctly as it would have if the election of the West Virginia member of the National Democratic Committee had taken a different turn.

We question the veracity of the rumor that the Register editor secured room No. 11 at the Neil House, Columbus, the day he exposed the great Republican "conference," and then paid \$10 for the room when he canceled the order upon the rumor that the "conference" had been declared off.

Our generous neighbor don't take these kind of risks.

The Parkersburg State Journal shows commendable enterprise in the issuance of its special trade edition in which it shows the number of industries in the town and the attractions of that city as a place of residence—in fact is booming the old town, in which the INTELLIGENCER hopes it may meet with the success the case merits. A live, energetic newspaper is sure to wake a sleeping town.

The Register gives its readers the same old forged election returns over which the last Legislature struggled and finally threw off; it being proven that an artistic Democrat official over in Randolph county had increased the legally polled Democratic majority sufficiently to give Wilson a majority of over 5000, and thus save the cheeks to the Democratic apoplexy who had bot on those figures. Since Payne's election in Ohio even our usually conscientious Democratic contemporary is becoming bewildered and demoralized.

Struck by a Train. Read Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. Va., July 13.—Captain Whitlatch, of the steamboat Sam Brown, was struck by the down train this evening on the Ohio River Railroad. He was picked up and put off here. He seems to be badly hurt.

Convicted Murderer Sentenced. Read Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

CAMBRIDGE, O., July 13.—The murderer of John Morrison, who was convicted of manslaughter on Sunday, John Wilson, was sentenced to the penitentiary this evening to eighteen years imprisonment.

Maine's Plans. BOSTON, MASS., July 13.—A Washington special says: Congressmen Milliken, of Maine, does not believe Mr. Blaine will return to Washington to live, unless he shall be elected as President. "Mr. Blaine," he says, "will make no effort to secure a re-nomination. That will be tendered unannounced. He is the only man with whom Republicans can succeed. As for the Senators, I have the assurance from Mr. Blaine's own lips that the people of Maine could not force it upon him. Until the next campaign he will devote himself to literary work, which is an agreeable occupation and pays handsomely. By his last venture I am told he has realized \$250,000.

THE REPUDIATORS.

MR. MORRISON'S RESOLUTION.

To Devote Surplus in the Treasury to Paying off the Interest Bearing Bonds of the United States. Mr. Hiseock's Argument Against It—A Violation of Faith.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The House today went into Committee on the Whole (Mr. Crisp, of Georgia, in the chair) on the joint resolution directing the payment of the surplus in the Treasury in decreasing the public debt. The following is the text of the resolution: "That whenever the surplus or balance in the Treasury, including the amount held for the redemption of United States notes, shall exceed the sum of one hundred millions of dollars it shall be and is hereby made the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to apply such excess in sums not less than millions per month during the existence of such surplus or excess to the payment of the interest bearing indebtedness of the United States, payable at the option of the Government."

MORRISON'S IDEA. Mr. Morrison said, counting the reserve at \$100,000,000, there was still a surplus in the Treasury of \$100,000,000. Of this about \$25,000,000 was unavailable, being made up of fractional coin, so that all the money that would be reached under this resolution would be about \$75,000,000. It would make productive that which was now unproductive, and unless it would do something towards making the Government something in interest, and more than that it would take away some of that temptation which led men to vote large appropriations and make improvident expenditures. He would not support the resolution. He would not support the resolution. He would not support the resolution.

HISEOCK'S AMENDMENT. Mr. Hiseock, of New York, offered an amendment providing that nothing in the resolution shall authorize the reduction of any part of the \$100,000,000 reserve set apart for the payment of United States notes or the interest bearing indebtedness of the United States. He then proceeded to submit an argument in opposition to the resolution, declaring that it would be a violation of faith. He declared that it would be a violation of faith. He declared that it would be a violation of faith.

VIRTUAL REPUDIATION. This was a declaration that the United States bonds should be paid in silver dollars, and the world would not understand it. It was practically impossible to execute the joint resolution without using the silver dollars. It was practically impossible to execute the joint resolution without using the silver dollars.

THE OLD ANSWER. Mr. Morrison asked in reply that it was none of his, Mr. Hiseock's, business. Mr. Hiseock—his, Mr. Hiseock's, business. Mr. Hiseock—his, Mr. Hiseock's, business.

GENERAL HUNTER'S WIDOW. The Report of the Committee on the Vote of her Pension by the President. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—In the case of Mrs. Hunter, widow of General Hunter, for whose relief the House passed a bill granting a pension of \$50 per month, which was vetoed by the President, Chairman Matson, of the Invalid Pensions Committee, to-day presented a report to the House in which he maintains the veto. He says the effect of the bill would be to give the claimant \$20 per month more than the law allows by the general law, that it is not alleged that the widow needs any increase, and that the committee has barely tolerated the increase of pensions of widows of officers. It is also true that the claimant's application has not yet been allowed by the pension office.

A minority report signed by the Republican members of the committee requests the passage of the bill over the veto, holding that the law is a variable practice to pension at \$30 per month widows of officers of rank similar to that held by General Hunter; that the President has signed a number of such bills during this session (aside from the case of General Hunter) and that there is no reason for making an example in this case.

Using Goodwill's Renomination. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—Ex-Senator Johnson and Representatives Trigg, Cabell, Wise, Croxon and Trigg, waited on the President this morning and urged the renomination of Mr. John Goode as Solicitor General. They represented that Mr. Goode had not been fairly treated by the Senate, and was not given sufficient opportunity to refute charges which led to his rejection. A member of the delegation held that the President should be urged to listen to their representations expressed sympathy for Mr. Goode, and stated that he had the case under consideration, but he had not yet determined what course to pursue.

The Virtual Throwing Down. PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 13.—John Duval who threw the can of vitrol in the face of Jacob Jones last night and then shot him, because Jones had married his divorced wife, died in a short time. Jones is suffering terribly, but will recover. He is badly burned and will be disfigured for life, but his eye sight will not be impaired.

TWO DISASTROUS FIRES.

At Chicago, Yesterday—Eight Persons Badly Injured.

CHICAGO, July 13.—About three o'clock this morning Mrs. A. Mudgett's boarding house, at 295 Hermitage avenue, was burned. To escape death from the flames the following persons jumped from the second-story windows and were injured: Mr. C. C. Roberts, Parepa Roberts, Paulina Roberts, Mrs. A. A. Gilbert, Mrs. Mudgett placed a lighted kerosene lamp on the table in the basement hall, last night, before retiring. The house was infested with rats, and it is supposed that in running around the hall the animal upset the lamp. Mr. Roberts awoke to find the house filled with smoke and the flames shooting up through the basement door. He ran up stairs, where his daughter, Parepa, aged 17, and Paulina, aged 10, were sleeping, and dragged them to the front of the house. Mrs. Gilbert was awakened and, almost blinded by the smoke, Roberts carried the frightened woman to a window. He knocked the window open, and all out on to the sidewalk. He dropped his daughter first, and then Mrs. Gilbert to the ground, a distance of about twenty feet. Without loss of time Roberts followed them. All four were badly shaken up by the fall and scorched by the flames. Mrs. Gilbert's injuries are serious. She was burned on the face and hands, one of her shoulders was dislocated, and there were injuries to the chest and hips and internal bruises, which caused her great pain. She was carried to the Presbyterian Hospital, where she now is.

Paulina Roberts broke her arm in the fall, and her father and sister are both badly burned. Mrs. Mudgett, her daughter and her daughter's baby were all in the house at the time the fire started, but they escaped uninjured.

All the clothing and furniture of Mrs. Mudgett and her boarders were destroyed. The loss from their destruction is about \$2,000, partially insured. The house, a two-story and basement brick, was damaged to the extent of \$300.

At one o'clock this morning fire broke out in T. E. Morris' livery stable on Michigan avenue. The cause of the fire is unknown. Peter Smith and his wife, Peter's cousin, Charles Smith and James Flannery, employees of Morris, and lodging over the stable, had to jump out of the second story window.

Charles Smith had his back broken. He was taken to the Michael Rees Hospital, where it was said he could not recover. Peter Smith had his leg broken, and was seriously injured internally. Mrs. Smith and Flannery also sustained injuries.

Eleven horses were burned to death. The loss is estimated at \$10,000.

BASE BALL.

Ferguson's Indians Downed by Pittsburgh. Other Games.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 13.—Ferguson's Indians were badly beaten this afternoon by the Pittsburghers, who had no trouble in batting Cushman's delivery at all. Galvin was also hit hard but the hits were scattered. The features of the game were Shomberg's long hit and home run, and Smith's fine work at short. Attendance 1,500.

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